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ELI LILLY AND COMPANY, and IMCLONE SYSTEMS LLC

v.

GENENTECH, INC. and CITY OF HOPE

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ELI LILLY AND COMPANY, and IMCLONE SYSTEMS LLC,

Plaintiffs,)

) Case Nos.:

)2:13-cv-07248-MRP-JEMx V.

)2:13-cv-05400-MRP-JEMx

GENENTECH, INC. and CITY OF HOPE,

Defendants.)

VIDEOTAPED DEPOSITION OF SIR GREGORY WINTER

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1 2	APPEARANCES		1	PROCEEDINGS
3	Appearing for Eli Lilly and Co. and the Witness:		2	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: This is the video operator, Wendy Viner, of Merrill Legal Solutions. Today's date is
]	SIMPSON THACHER & BARTLETT LLP		4	January 19, 2015 and the time is 10:05 a.m. We're at
4	425 Lexington Avenue New York, NY 10017-3954		5	Trinity College, Cambridge, U.K., to take the videotaped
5	By: Katherine A. Helm		6	deposition of Sir Gregory Winter in the matter of Eli Lilly
6	khelm@stblaw.com		7	& Company et al versus Genentech and City of Hope, case
7	FITZPATRICK, CELLA, HARPER & SCINTO		8	number 2:13-cv-07248-MRP-JEMx.
8	1290 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10104-3800		9	The court reporter today is Chanelle Malliff of
	By: Robert S. Schwartz		10	Merrill Legal Solutions. Would the court reporter please
9	Brendan M. O'Malley		11	swear in the witness.
10	rschwartz@fchs.com; bomalley@fchs.com		12	SIR GREGORY WINTER
11 12	Annual of Country Inc.		13	having been sworn testified as follows:
13	Appearing for Genentech, Inc.: DURIE TANGRI		14	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Would counsel please identify
14	217 Leidesdorff Street		15	themselves and state whom they represent and we can proceed.
14	San Francisco, CA 94111 By: Daralyn J. Durie		16	MS. DURIE: Daralyn Durie, representing Genentech.
15	Adam R. Brausa		17	MR. BRAUSA: Adam Brausa, representing Genentech.
16	ddurie@durietangri.com; abrausa@durietangri.com		18	MS. HELM: Katherine Helm, representing Eli Lilly.
17	Al. D		19	MR. SCHWARTZ: Robert Schwartz, representing
18	Also Present: Mark J. Stewart, in-house counsel,		20	Eli Lilly, and with me are my colleagues Brendan O'Malley.
19	Eli Lilly and Company		21	And from Lilly, Mark Stewart.
20	Videographer:		22	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Thank you. Please proceed.
21	Wendy Viner, Merrill Legal Solutions		23	EXAMINATION BY MS. DURIE:
23			24	Q. Good morning.
24 25			25	A. Good morning.
		Page 3		Page 5
1	WITNESS INDEX		1	Q. How would you like me to address you this morning?
2	Page		2	A. You can call me Greg.
3	SIR GREGORY WINTER (Sworn)		3	Q. Very good.
5	Examination by Ms. Durie4		4	A. If you get nasty you can call me Sir Gregory.
6	EXHIBIT INDEX		5	Q. You have expressed certain opinions in this case
7	Winter Description Page		6	regarding the Cabilly family of patents; is that right?
8	Ex.No.:		7	A. That's right.
9	Elizate a Decree (Circ		8	Q. And one of the opinions that you have expressed
10	Exhibit 1 Expert Report of Sir6 Gregory Winter, CBE, FRS		9	concerns the written description requirement?
11	regarding invalidity of U.S.		10	A. Yep.
1.2	Patent Nos. 6,331,415 and 7,923,221		11	Q. What is your understanding of the written
12	Exhibit 2 United States Patent9		12	description requirement?
	No.: 6,331,415, December 18,		13	A. So my understanding was put down in my deposition
14	2001 Exhibit 3 Reply Expert Report of36		14	but essentially my understanding is that the written
15	Sir Gregory Winter, CBE, FRS		15	description should be sufficient to guide somebody to be
16	Regarding Invalidity of U.S.		16	able to do the work described in it.
17	Patent Nos. 6,331,415 and 7,923,221		17	Q. You've also expressed opinions in this case
18	Exhibit 4 United States Patent109		18	regarding the enablement requirement; is that right?
10	No.: 4,816,567, March 28, 1989		19	A. That's correct.
19	(Also marked PX9) Exhibit 5 United States Patent137		20	Q. What do you understand the difference to be between
	No.: 5,225,539, July 6, 1993		21	the written description requirement and the enablement requirement, if any?
21 22			23	MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal
23			24	conclusion.
24			25	A. I had taken them to be very similar but what
25			1 - 3	1. 1 ma taken them to be very similar but what

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- I would like to do would be to refer to my deposition where I think I do deal with those two points.
- 3 BY MS. DURIE:

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Q. Sure. Let me have marked as the first exhibit a copy of the expert report of Sir Gregory Winter.

(Exhibit 1 marked for identification.)

- A. So in page 4, 20 it explains:
- "... specification must provide adequate written
- 9 description of the invention ..."
- 10 And it must explain how to use the invention, clear
- 11 language. That's written description. And the enablement
- issue or the enablement requirement is when a person at the
- time of invention would, on looking at that, be able to 13
- 14 practice the invention.
- 15 Q. Is there any difference in your mind between the written description requirement and the enablement 16 17 requirement?
- 18 MS. HELM: Objection.
- 19 A. Is there what, sorry?
- 20 BY MS. DURIE:
- Q. Is there any difference in your mind between the 2.1 22 written description requirement and the enablement requirement? 23
- 24 MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal
- 25 conclusion.

3 Q. And so your understanding is that you can look to 4

other prior art as well as what is written down in the 5 patent itself to assess compliance with the written

A. I would say it teaches and provides guidance in

description requirement?

combination with other prior art.

- A. Sorry, can you repeat that again?
- Q. Sure. So is it your understanding that you can look at other prior art as well as what is written within the patent itself to assess compliance with the written description requirement?

12 MS. HELM: Objection. I object to this entire 13 line of questioning as calling for legal conclusions.

A. So what does that mean?

15 MS. HELM: You still need to answer the question. 16 I'm objecting as to the form.

17 A. The form of the --

MS. HELM: For calling for legal conclusions.

19 A. Can you repeat that question again, sorry?

20 BY MS. DURIE:

21 Q. Sure. Is it your understanding then that you can 22 look to other prior art as well as what is written within 23 the patent itself in order to assess compliance with the 24 written description requirement?

MS. HELM: Same objection.

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- A. My understanding had been that the written 1
- description essentially was what was written down; in other
- words, whether that is adequate on what's written down. And
- 4 there are other factors come into enablement.
- 5 BY MS. DURIE:
- 6 Q. What are the additional factors that come into 7 enablement?
- 8 A. Well, I understand it would relate to the factors
- whether for example considering whether undue
- 10 experimentation might be required in order for somebody to
- 11 do that work. So the written description and enablement are
- 12 very similar concepts but obviously written description is
- 13 what is written. Enablement I took to be beyond the written
- 14 description, plus. That was my interpretation.
- 15 Q. Does the written description requirement as you 16 have applied it require that what is written down teach a 17 person of skill in the art how to practice the invention?
- 18 MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal
- 19 conclusion.
- 2.0 A. Sorry, could you repeat that?
- 21 BY MS. DURIE:
- Q. Sure. Does the written description requirement as 22 you have applied it require that what is written down teach
- 24 a person of ordinary skill in the art how to practice the
- 25 invention?

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- A. My understanding would be that that is the way that I have looked at this. Whether that is true. I don't know.
- BY MS. DURIE:
- 4 Q. Do you agree that compliance with the written 5 description requirement is tested relative to claim
- 6 limitations?
- 7 MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal conclusion and outside the scope of his report.
- 9 A. And can you repeat that question again?
- 10 BY MS. DURIE:
- 11 Q. Sure. Do you agree that compliance with the written description requirement is tested relative to the 12 13 limitations of a claim?
- 14 A. I don't understand the question.
- 15 Q. Fair enough. Let me have marked as the next 16 exhibit a copy of U.S. patent 6,331,415.

(Exhibit 2 marked for identification.)

18 Do you recognize what I have put in front of you as one of the Cabilly patents that is at issue in this 19 20 litigation?

- 21 A. Yes, I do.
- 22 Q. And if I refer to this patent, the '415 patent, as 23 the Cabilly 2 patent, will you understand what I'm
- referring to? 24
- 25 A. Yes, I do.

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O. Now when you conducted your analysis of compliance with the written description requirement with respect to the Cabilly 2 patent, how did you go about that analysis?

4 A. When I looked at the compliance of this for a 5 written description?

Q. Yes.

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7 MS. HELM: Objection: vague. The witness may 8 refer to his report.

9 A. Well, what I looked at was the claims on the patent 10 and I looked at what those claims said and I looked at what was done in the patent and I looked at what one could 11 reasonably infer at the time from prior art. So that's the

1.3 essence of what I did.

14 BY MS. DURIE:

15 Q. So if in the patent you turn for example to 16 claim 33, which should appear at the back of the patent. 17 You undertook an analysis of whether the description of the 18 Cabilly 2 patent provides an adequate written description 19 for claim 33; is that right? 20 A. Yep.

21 Q. Have you heard of the term "the limitations of a 22 claim"?

23 A. I've heard of the term but I could probably do with some instruction on what it means if I'm going to be quizzed 24 25 on it.

said first and second DNA sequences." 2

Do you understand claim 33 of the Cabilly 2 patent to require the co-expression of at least the variable domain of a heavy chain and the variable domain of a light chain in a single host cell?

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6 MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal 7 conclusion.

8 A. Sorry, can you repeat that question again? 9

BY MS. DURIE:

Q. Sure. Do you understand claim 33 of the Cabilly 2 patent to require the co-expression of at least the variable domain of a heavy chain and the variable domain of a light chain in a single host cell?

MS. HELM: Same objection.

A. I took it that this claim covers a molecule which is an immunoglobulin molecule or in fact an immunologically functional molecule which would have heavy and light chains within it. That's what I had considered and I believe this does describe such a molecule. Whether it requires it, I'd have to think very carefully about the language of this, and whether it might allow the production of a single -- one of

those as a single domain. And I don't believe it does but 23 I think at the moment it is essentially describing -- it

would certainly cover the variable domain of a heavy and 2.4

light in the same associated fragment.

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BY MS. DURIE:

Q. For purposes of assessing compliance with a written description requirement, have you focused in your analysis on what the claim covers?

MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal conclusion

and asked and answered. 7 A. So what do I have to do? So I've answered it.

8 MS. DURIE: You can still answer the question. Lilly's attorney can make objections for the record but

10 you're still required to answer my questions. 11

THE WITNESS: So can you repeat the question 12 again?

13 BY MS. DURIE:

14 Q. Of course. For purposes of assessing compliance 15 with a written description requirement, have you then 16 focused on what the claim covers? 17

MS. HELM: Same objection. A. I have focused on the fact that this claim covers two associated domains. That's what I focused on. I have not thought about other possibilities and I am not entirely sure whether they're there because I need to think about the 22 claim carefully. 23 BY MS. DURIE:

Q. When you say "covers", what do you mean by that? 24 25 A. Well I would mean that if you made a molecule, that

Q. Fair enough. If I were to refer to the requirements of a claim would you understand what I'm referring to?

A. The key features of the claim.

Q. Did you undertake your written description analysis by focusing on the requirements of the claim?

7 MS. HELM: Objection: calls for a legal 8 conclusion.

9 A. Essentially I'm a scientist so what I did is

10 I looked at this and I said: what does this describe?

11 BY MS. DURIE:

Q. If we take a look at claim 33 and we see it's:

13 "A process for producing an immunoglobulin molecule or 14 an immunologically functional immunoglobulin fragment 15 comprising at least the variable domains of the 16 immunoglobulin heavy and light chains, in a single host 17 cell, comprising:" And then it says:

18 19 "independently expressing a first DNA sequence encoding at least the variable domain of the 21 immunoglobulin heavy chain and a second DNA sequence 22 encoding at least the variable domain of the 23 immunoglobulin light chain so that said immunoglobulin 24 heavy and light chains are produced as separate

molecules in said single host cell transformed with

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